ABSTRACT

The present invention provides compositions, including vectors, and methods for the rapid subcloning of nucleic acid sequences *in vivo* and *in vitro*. In particular, the invention provides vectors used to contain a gene of interest that comprise a sequence-specific recombinase target site. These vectors are used to rapidly transfer the gene or genes of interest into any vector that contains a sequence-specific recombinase target site located downstream of a regulatory element so that the gene of interest may be regulated.